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TO **Kanzen Slaski (Gross Stein), Ottmuth (Ottmuth), and Ligota Dolna (Nieder Ellguth)**
Airfields and the former Air Ammunition Depot Near Rogau (Rogau) Krappitz (Krappitz).

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REMARKS

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1. During 1953 and 1954, improvement work had been done at the airfield southeast of Gross Stein (50 32 N/18 04 E). Many civilian horse-drawn vehicles of the surrounding villages were employed for transportation work. As of June 1954 Gross Stein airfield had not been combined with Stubendorf airfield. During 1954, Gross Stein airfield was occupied by Polish Air Force troops and some biplanes. Little activity was observed.¹
2. The former airfield north-northeast of Ottmuth (50 29 N/17 58 E) was unoccupied for a long period. The terrain was not guarded nor was it used for agricultural purposes. No pre-military training activity² was held there.
3. Nieder Ellguth (50 29 N/18 07 E) airfield, located about 1 km west of Nieder Ellguth, on the southern side of the Gogolin (50 29 N/18 02 E) - Gross Strehlitz (50 31 N/18 18 E) road, was last observed during the summer of 1954. It was a small field without a runway. No improvement or expansion work was observed at the field prior to 1954. The installation was not used for military purposes but was being used for training purposes by the Liga Lotnicza which conducted air activity with gliders and biplanes. Only a few aircraft were available. The student pilots were not permanently stationed at the field but came to the installation on Sundays, holidays and after work during the week.³
4. Local residents knew that reconstruction work on the former German air ammunition depot west of Rogau-Krappitz (50 29 N/17 58 E) was under way for some years. No information was received on a possible

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connection between this ammunition depot and Gross Stein airfield, nor were indicative observations made along the railroad line between the ammunition depot and the airfield. ⁴

1. Comment. According to previous information, the runway at Gross Stein airfield is to be enlarged to 2,700 meters. The occupation at the field is not known. It is assumed that, during improvement work, the field is occupied by few Polish trainers. 25X1
2. Comment. Ottmuth airfield which has not been used since the end of the war is believed to be abandoned. 25X1
3. Comment. The statements on Nieder Ellguth airfield have previously been received. 25X1
4. Comment. This is the first report on the reconstruction of the former German air ammunition depot near Rogau-Krappitz. 25X1

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